PAYMENT, that are due through the previous month of November, as provided under Article 24, §§ 9 501 and 9 502 §§ 9-501, 9-502, AND 9-509 of the Code and § 7-507.1 of this subtitle. The county fiscal authority shall send this notice of nonpayment to the affected operator at the same time that the county fiscal authority notifies the Department. In the absence of this notification, the Department shall presume that all coal severance taxes and surcharges AND ANY PENALTY AND INTEREST, INCLUDING ANY INTEREST AND PENALTIES FOR LATE PAYMENT, have been paid. The Department may not renew a person's open-pit mining operator's license unless all of that person's county coal severance taxes and surcharges AND ANY PENALTY AND INTEREST, INCLUDING ANY INTEREST AND PENALTIES FOR LATE PAYMENT, that are due through the previous month of November have been paid.

(iv) If an open-pit mining operator provides the Department with written notification from the county fiscal authority which states that the open-pit mining operator has not paid all of the operator's county coal severance taxes and surcharges AND ANY PENALTY AND INTEREST, INCLUDING ANY INTEREST AND PENALTIES FOR LATE PAYMENT, as provided in paragraph (2) (iii) of this subsection, but the county and the operator have agreed on a payment schedule, the Department may issue a license to the operator on the condition that the operator comply with the payment schedule.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1990.

Approved May 2, 1990.

## CHAPTER 355

(House Bill 739)

## AN ACT concerning

## Maryland Racing Commission - Termination Date

FOR the purpose of extending the termination for certain provisions of law creating the Maryland Racing Commission, the Maryland Standardbred Race Fund advisory committee, and the Maryland-Bred Race Fund advisory committee.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 78B - Racing Commission

Section 26C

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1988 Replacement Volume and 1989 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: